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E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS: UNESCO, PORG, AORG
SUBJECT: UNESCO: DG REPORT TO 102 EXBD ON DUMITRESCU
CASE

REF: PARIS 5455 (NOTAL)

1. WE WOULD LIKE TO FLAG FOR DEPT'S ATTENTION EXBD
AGENDA ITEM 7.1.8 UNDER WHICH IT HIGHLY PROBABLE THAT
DG WILL REPORT PROGRESS TO DATE ON SECRETARIAT
NEGOTIATIONS WITH ROMANIA CONCERNING DUMITRESCU CASE.
THIS WILL BE DONE IN PRIVATE SESSION ON MAY 9.
2. DEPARTMENT WILL RECALL THAT DUMITRESCU, A ROMANIAN,
WAS IN CHARGE OF DIVISION OF WATER RESOURCES AT
UNESCO. WHILE ENROUTE TO BULGARIA ON OFFICIAL UNESCO
BUSINESS IN JUNE 1976 WHICH TOOK HIM THROUGH ROMANIA,
ROMANIAN GOVT. DETAINED HIM, AND IT IS NOW
RUMORED HE HAS BEEN INTEGRATED INTO THE ROMANIAN
"NATIONAL" (MILITARY?) SERVICE.

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3. BEST INFORMATION IS THAT DG IS VERY UNHAPPY WITH
APPARENT INABILITY TO MAKE ANY HEADWAY DURING HIS
RECENT TRIP TO ROMANIA IN SOLVING CASE TO HIS
SATISFACTION. WE DO NOT BELIEVE WELL FOUNDED, HOWEVER,
RUMORS CIRCULATING HERE THAT DG MAY DECIDE THEREFORE
TO MAKE REPORT BEFORE AN OPEN SESSION IN ORDER CREATE
UNFAVORABLE PUBLICITY FOR ROMANIAN GOVT.

4. THERE HAS BEEN SOME SPECULATION THAT THE DG MIGHT
BALANCE HIS EFFORTS IN DUMITRESCU CASE WITH STATEMENT
ON FRENCH GOVERNMENT'S HANDLING OF RYBACHENKOV
EXPULSION (REFTEL). ONCE AGAIN, ALTHOUGH DG
OBVIOUSLY UNHAPPY WITH THIS SEQUENCE OF EVENTS, PARTIES
INVOLVED WOULD NOT STAND TO GAIN FROM PRIVATE OR PUBLIC
AIRING OF DG'S PIQUE, AND THUS WE DOUBT THIS QUESTION
WILL BECOME AN ISSUE AT FORTHCOMING EXBD.

5. HOWEVER, WE DO EXPECT DEBATE IN PRIVATE SESSION ON
DUMITRESCU CASE WHICH MAY BECOME HEATED. THUS FAR,
US HAS NOT BEEN INVOLVED. PERMDEL REQUESTS DEPT.
INSTRUCTION.
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